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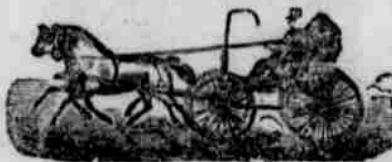
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The Maryland legislature has disfranchised the state's forty-four thousand illiterate voters, eighteen thousand of them being whites, and mostly democrats, and, twenty-six thousand blacks, and nearly all republicans. The legislature's reason for this sweeping ballot law is the claim of this class of voters had to be assisted in casting their ballots, and, without a secret ballot, there was no other way than by disfranchisement to prevent bribery. The republicans, of course denied, that this reason is valid, and declares that it is a political yarn to deprive them all chance to carry the state hereafter. If congress does not interfere, such states as Kentucky and west Virginia are likely to enact similar ballot laws. To the onlooker, it seems remarkable that, in these enlightened days, eighteen thousand adult white citizens should be found in a single state who are unable to read and write. Maryland is plentifully equipped with schools, and there surely exists sufficient pride among these disfranchised ones to attend them for a period long enough to wipe out the disqualification, and make the legislation null and void. Let us hope that this will be the solution.

TO THE DEAF.—A rich lady, cured of her deafness and noises in the head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave \$25,000 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Drums may have them free. Address, No. D941, The Nicholson Institute, 780 Eighth Avenue, New York. 6

WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON, April 19, 1901

Denials have been entered ridiculous by press dispatches from Manila giving names and details, war department officials now confess that there have been extensive frauds in the commissary branch of the army in the Philippines, and announce with a flourish of honesty and virtue that an official investigation is now being made with a view of exposure and punishment of all those who have been guilty of wrongdoing. This announcement would have carried more weight with the disinterested public had it not been accompanied by another saying that the conduct of the investigation had been placed in the hands of Adjutant General Corbin. Gen. Miles is commander of the army, and as such should have directed that investigation and if the truth and the whole truth, regardless of whose toes might be trod on, had been sought, it would have been allowed to remain in his hands where it properly belonged he had proven his fearlessness in uncovering fraud in the embalmed beef cases. But if the object of the investigation be to whitewash the guilty officers who have republican political pull, and to make scapegoats of those who have not, the choice of Gen. Corbin to direct it was wise. He has a record of political partisanship never equaled by any holder of a major general's commission in the United States army, and there have been some radical partisans in the army, too, while Gen. Miles has never been a partisan and is suspected of believing in democratic principles. Major George B. Davis, one of the officers said to be implicated in the frauds, is now in Washington on sick leave. He has been connected with the commissary branch of the army for several years, and was regarded as Gen. Eagan's right-hand man when he was commissary general. Major Davis was at the war department this week and was questioned by Commissary General Weston. He denied the charge made from Manila that the books of Evans & Co. government contractors showed that sums of money had been paid him and other officers; also that he had any knowledge of wrong doing on the part of either officers or contractors and announced his willingness to return to Manila at once and assist in the investigation. He might be able to render valuable assistance in the whitewashing.

Mayor Carter Harrison, of Chicago, whose third election to that office has caused his name more or less to be talked of in connection with national politics, spent the most of this week in Washington quietly resting. Asked the blunt question, whether he had any intention of entering the national political arena, Mr. Harrison, replied: "I am not fooling with national politics. It is enough for me now to attend to my duties in Chicago." When asked what the Illinois legislature was likely to do, Mr. Harrison said: "The republicans in that body have done almost nothing outside of a discussion of apportionment bills. They have a quarrel among themselves over the subject and I would not be surprised if the legislature adjourned without passing any measure for the apportionment."

That the Philippines must necessarily be a large and continuous source of expense to the United States has been evident that from the day Spain gold-bricked us into the becoming their owners. A board of naval officers, under orders from Secretary Long, are now engaged in preparing plans for a \$5,000,000 naval station, which is to have a \$1,000,000 dry dock, at Olongapo, Subic Bay, Luzon. Those plans will have to receive the approval of congress before they can be carried out.

Senator Cockrell, who was met coming out of the White House, where he had just had a talk with Mr. McKinley on the subject, and of the coming visit to Washington of a committee of the Cuban constitution convention: "The Cubans do not apparently fully grasp their status. They are not now a government. They have no power to treat diplomatically with the United States. The present constitutional convention was called into being through our agency. It only has power to submit to the United States for approval a plan or constitution for the representative government. If we reject it out right the extensive status continues. They can do nothing. But if the modifications and conditions which we propose are accepted then they can proceed to organize a representative government. And until such a government is organized the troops of the United States, in my opinion, cannot be completely withdrawn. I am firmly convinced that the convention, after it hears the report of the commission which it has sent here, will accept the

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platt amendment. I believe that the members of the commission will learn much of value to Cuba on their visit here, and that soon after their return the constitution convention will take favorable action."

Every republican president from Grant to McKinley has had dreams of establishing a respectable white republican party in the south, but every effort to make the dream a reality has miserably failed. For that reason Mr. McKinley's effort in that line, in South Carolina, is more amusing than alarming to the southern democrats. Senator McLaurin, who has been for all practical purposes an administration senator for several years, although he only actually withdrew from the democratic caucus just before the adjournment of the last session of congress, is expected to act as Mr. McKinley's assistant in the present attempt to turn the dream into a reality. The first open move was the appointment of John G. Capers, a gold democrat, to succeed a republican as United States district attorney of South Carolina. The next is awaited with more or less curiosity.

Two Hundred Herefords.

The largest consignment of high toned bulls that ever came to El Paso is down at the stockyards. They are from the Riverside Hereford company, Ashland, Nebraska, and they are going to the McCutcheon Brothers ranch in the Davis mountains near Fort Davis. There are 23 of them and they are all registered, Hereford yearlings and two years old. They have stood the long journey well and are in first class condition. W. J. Cox, the energetic manager of the Riverside Hereford company, is as proud of the new arrivals as a boy with a new suit.

This consignment of cattle is the result of the big deal that was made by the McCutcheon Brothers and the Riverside Hereford people a short while ago. Under the terms of that transaction the Riverside company purchased 4000 head of cattle from the McCutcheon Brothers and sold them in return these Hereford bulls. The McCutcheon Brothers have some 30,000 cattle on their ranges and it is their intention to turn these registered bulls in among the cattle with the view of improving the breed.

The cattle they now have is of a superior grade, and with the addition of these bulls they will have in time the finest herd of cattle in the state of Texas. Part of the agreement between the two parties is that the Riverside Hereford people take all of next year's yearlings and the yearlings of the following year from the McCutcheon brothers. In return the Riverside people ship to the ranch next year 100 more bulls next year and 100 the following year.

The cattle as they now stand bring about \$15 a head but improved as the breed will be by these registered bulls it is expected that such improved stock will be worth fully \$25 a head. The present consignment are as fine a lot of cattle as can be found in any part of the country and are worth a visit to the stockyards.—El Paso Herald.

A Raging, Roaring Flood.

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oklahoma, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had the consumption and could not live. I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles by Eddy Drug Co. Price 50c.

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The discovery of oil in apparently inexhaustible quantities in California and Texas, within the last year, emphasizes America's first place among the people of the earth, in treasures. Oil is to be the fuel of the furnaces of this twentieth century, and with it to burn in our ships, we can steam the seas with light tankers and without having to stop every few days for fuel. A navy steaming on oil, with no coal-station to protect, should be twice as effective as one guarding coaling stations. But not before have we had oil for such a purpose. Charles Sumner Young writing to Success about the California oil fields in the Kern river district, says the oil sands are four hundred feet deep, throughout 10,000 acres and from every acre there will come 200,000 barrels of oil, a gross output of 2,000,000,000 barrels which at fifty cents a barrel, will be worth over \$1,000,000,000. This dwarfs in importance the yield of gold and silver of the comstock lode. Mr. Young does not hesitate to say that California oil is worth more than all the gold and silver she has produced, or ever will mine. The oil discoveries in the Beaumont district, of Texas, do not promise so much, but a geyser spouting 19,000 barrels per day was recently utilized. The district is an extensive one, and the oil sands are estimated to be from five to fifteen feet in depth. Oil in smaller quantities has been found elsewhere. The problem has been for small operators to build pipe lines to get the oil to markets. The California owners have made it plain that the Standard Oil company might do well to invest with them and the Texas owners may, perhaps, reach the same conclusion. At all events, the people of the Pacific states and southwest will profit by the discoveries.—Success.

Many, indeed, of those who now deprecate the gigantic growth of some of the chief industrial monopolies, hold to the view that there would have been true conservatism in the government ownership of the railway from the very beginning. Their argument is that the railway rebates and other unfair transportation advantages were, in point of fact, the real foundation for the up building of a number of the most conspicuous of the so-called trusts; and they claim that if there had been public ownership of railways, with equal advantages to all shippers, there could not—at least in our day—have grown up any such aggregation as the Standard Oil Company, the great iron and steel amalgamation, of the American Sugar Company, the anthracite coal combination, and several others that might be named. The advocates of government ownership—some of them at least—believe that everything is moving so rapidly in the direction of their convictions and desires that they have only to stand aside as spectators and look on. They are especially well pleased with the seemingly swift growth of something like a scientific unity in the railway system of the country. They are glad to see harmony and stable equilibrium in the mining and transportation of anthracite coal, for example. With every successive step in the adjustments which are bringing order and system out of chaos in the railway world, these advocates see a plainer and easier path to the transfer of the railway business from private to public control, which they desire.

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